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TITLE:

APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR INCREASING A

DIGITAL CAMERA CAPTURE RATE BY DELAYING

**IMAGE PROCESSING** 

**EXAMINER:** 

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE.

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed February 24, 1998, paper no. 6, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-2, 4, 10, and 16.

Please amend claims 3, 9 and 15 as follows.